MR. CHAIRMAN: I shall now put Amendments (Nos. 4 and 5) moved by Shri Yashwant Sinha, to vote. The question is:

4. That at page 2, lines 51-52, forthe words "of known substance shall be considered to be the same substance, unless they differ significantly in properties with regard to efficacy" the words "shall not be patentable" be *substituted.*

5. That at page 2, *after* line 52, the following be *inserted,* namely:—

"(da) formulation is any form meant for use as medicine or drug for internal or external use other than such formulations which involve innovative technologies shall be covered by process patents."

Amendments (Nos. 4 and 5) were negatived.

Clause 3 was added to the Bill

MR. CHAIRMAN: There is one amendment by Shri Yashwant Sinha. He is not here. *(Interruptions)*

Clauses 4 to 10 were added to the Bill.

Clauses 11 to 79 were added to the Bill.

Clause 1, the Enacting Formula and the Title were added to the Bill.

SHRI KAMAL NATH: Sir, I beg to move:

"That the Bill be passed."

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

STATEMENT BY MINISTER

Status of Implmentation of Recommendations Contained in First report of Parliamentary Standing Committee on Energy to consider the Demands for Grants (2004-05)

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI P.M. SAYEED): I lay on the Table a Statement regarding the status of implementation of recommendations contained in the First Report of Parliamentary Standing Committee on Energy to consider the Demands for Grants (2004-05).

श्री सभापति : सदन की कार्यवाही कल 11 बजे तक के लिए स्थगित की जाती है ।

The House then adjourned at eight minutes past seven of the clock till eleven of the clock on Thursday, 24th March, 2004.

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